

THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, from its original establishment, has been in the receipt of telegraphic news from the New York Associated Press, which consists of the Tribune, Times, Herald, World, Sun, Journal of Commerce, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, and Evening Express.

WE PUBLISH on our outside pages an exhaustive history of the political and military events connected with the present war from the time when the little speck no bigger than a man's hand first darkened the European horizon until the surrender of Napoleon III.

THE NEW GOVERNMENT IN PARIS. The members of the new Provisional Government formed in France truly say, that their first address to the people, that they are placed "not in power but in peril."

On the other hand the new government claims that it is "before all a government for the national defense." The popular feeling which called it into existence and which sustains it demands that invasion shall be repelled, and in response to this demand assurances are held out that a great popular uprising will yet avenge the country and carve out a road to victory.

If such difficulties can be surmounted and such promises can be redeemed, there must indeed be a power in the mere name of republicanism to reanimate the soul of France, and to work out magical results.

The military virtues of the new system will soon be tested. The invading armies have already commenced forced marches upon the capital. In view of the victories they have already achieved, it seems like madness for Paris to attempt resistance.

What is to be the result of this extraordinary complication? Are the Germans about to gain a crowning triumph over the most strongly fortified city in the world, and to end the war without having suffered a single reverse, or have the long-continued and expensive preparations for the defense of the capital at last made it impregnable?

The events of the next few weeks—perhaps of the next few days—will answer many, if not all, of these questions, and on the answer hang the destinies of the empire.

THE BONAPARTES BOURBOINIZED. The strong hold which the house of Napoleon has had upon the affections of France has been totally destroyed by the fatal blunders of the late Emperor. If the hero of Marengo and Austerlitz is still venerated, the people will at least confess that his great qualities have not been transmitted to his political heir, and that it is vain to look for leadership in war or peace to a race capable of pro-

voking calamities like Weissenburg, Gravelotte, and Sedan.

If France is thus relieved, once and forever, of the dynasty which has drained her life's blood, and if the Bonapartes are henceforth as deeply despised as the Bourbons, a higher and better future may become possible for the nation which has run through the whole gamut of government.

From the very depth of her present misfortunes, the wise and good men of France can therefore draw consolation. Another opportunity is offered to establish "a government of the people for the people," while the obstacle which has baffled both her previous republican efforts is destroyed.

Political education progresses slowly, even in the most enlightened countries, and there are many lessons which can be effectually learned only in the dear school of experience. Unhappy France has had a terrible schooling of this description, but if she can sum up sufficient philosophy to look upon the invasion, with all its attendant horrors, as a bitter yet necessary and instructive warning against the repetition of her political errors, and as a final death-blow to every form of internal tyranny, she will become a moral victor after all, and profit more by her military overthrow than by a thousand martial triumphs inspired by love of vain glory and achieved by carrying devastation abroad and by establishing despotism at home.

THE RECORDERSHIP. The release of a dangerous burglar by Recorder Givin a few days ago has raised the question often agitated before as to the utility of the office of Recorder, and whether it might not be abolished with advantage. The act of consolidation, apparently unintentionally, neglected to make any mention of the Recorder, and in consequence the office has continued to exist under a sort of sufferance; and so long as the occupant of the office gave no cause for complaint, it might be allowed to exist for an indefinite period.

On Saturday a rather curious incident occurred in the Court of Quarter Sessions, which, as a sort of afterpiece to Recorder Givin's straw ball performance, is deserving of very much the same kind of criticism. An individual named George Mason, charged with burglary and carrying a concealed deadly weapon, had a hearing on a writ of habeas corpus, and Judge Allison, after listening to the testimony against him, decided to hold him in \$6000 bail on both counts. The counsel for the accused gave notice that he would offer bail before the Recorder on Tuesday next. To this District Attorney Sheppard, apparently overcome with virtuous indignation that such a thing should even be suggested in view of the recent unpleasant circumstance with which the Recorder was connected, said that he should decline to go before Recorder Givin for any such purpose, and that the bail must be entered in court. After such a declaration as this on the part of the District Attorney, it is rather startling to learn that John Stephenson, a professional bail-giver, stepped forward in Mason's behalf, and was accepted on swearing that he was worth thirteen thousand dollars and describing his real estate. The complaint against Recorder Givin is that he did not require the individual who offered himself as bail for Landman to produce his title-deeds, but here we have precisely the same kind of proceeding in the Court of Quarter Sessions, and it is difficult to understand the indignation of the District Attorney against the Recorder when he and the President Judge are both willing to accept the oath and description of property of a professional bail-giver as sufficient security in a case of this kind.

This man Mason was accused of having been concerned in an extensive burglary, and a very plain case was made out against him. That the Judge considered this evening, by Henry A. Decker, is probable was shown by the large amount

of bail which he demanded, and under all the circumstances of the case it might certainly have been supposed that an unusual amount of care would have been exercised in scrutinizing the character of the security offered. Instead of this, we find the District Attorney first reflecting severely upon the Recorder and refusing to have any official intercourse with him, and then, with the compliance of the Judge, committing precisely the same error of judgment. The affair is curious at least, and it is not to be wondered at, in the light of such a transaction, that the rogues who prey upon society are apt to esteem themselves superior to the law. Public opinion will demand from Judge Allison and District Attorney Sheppard a satisfactory explanation of their reasons for releasing Mason in the manner that they did, and they will have to make out a better case for themselves than Recorder Givin has done for himself before they will be excused for what now appears to be a gross piece of carelessness.

THE PRELIMINARY CENSUS RETURNS of Philadelphia, which we published on Saturday, in advance of our contemporaries, although interesting, are probably incomplete for all the wards, as they fall, in every instance, below the returns given in 1860. In that year the returns of the respective wards of this city were as follows:—First, 30,886; Second, 29,123; Third, 19,929; Fourth, 23,461; Fifth, 24,792; Sixth, 14,882; Seventh, 31,267; Eighth, 27,770; Ninth, 17,196; Tenth, 21,849; Eleventh, 16,681; Twelfth, 16,681; Thirteenth, 20,015; Fourteenth, 24,258; Fifteenth, 32,091; Sixteenth, 20,067; Seventeenth, 23,261; Eighteenth, 20,441; Nineteenth, 38,828; Twentieth, 29,963; Twenty-first, 17,159; Twenty-second, 17,173; Twenty-third, 23,985; Twenty-fourth, 23,738—total, 565,529.

THE FRENCH have constantly alleged that their country was swarming with Prussian spies, and the invaders have certainly been wonderfully well apprised of all the movements of MacMahon and Bazaine. Von Moltke has known exactly not only how to strike, but when and where his blows could be most effective. It is highly probable, in view of Napoleon's tortuous career, that the accuracy of this information was assured by the treachery of some of his chosen confidants, and that of the many men whom he has foully wronged some one stationed at his elbow has betrayed every secret which could be useful to his armed foes.

THE LONDON Times expresses a desire that some of the Republican members of Congress who were distinguished at the last session for their devotion to American industry may be defeated at the coming elections. Its eagerness to advance the interests of British manufacturers at the expense of the producers of this country is too palpable to be disguised, and when it counsels free trade or revenue reform, its evident motive is the re-establishment of English industrial and commercial ascendancy in this country.

POLITICAL.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

HEADQUARTERS UNION REPUBLICAN CITY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, No. 1105 CHESTNUT STREET.

THE DELEGATES elected to revise the rules of the Union Republican Party will assemble at the OLD COUNTY COURT HOUSE on MONDAY next, September 12, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Union Republican City Executive Committee. JOHN L. HILL, President.

Attest: JOHN McCULLOUGH, Secretaries. M. C. HONO, 9 6 6 1/2

THE PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. SEPTEMBER 5, 1870.

The Directors have this day declared a dividend of SEVEN DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS per share on the stock of the Company for the last six months, which will be paid to the stockholders at their legal representatives, after the 15th inst.

W. M. G. CHOWMILL, Secretary.

THE UNION REPUBLICAN NATURALIZATION COMMITTEE will sit daily at M. H. SOBYS, No. 416 LIBRARY Street, from 10 until 2 o'clock.

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HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY—LUNcheon at THE EVENING, by HENRY A. DECKER, 10 1/2, on "European Horticulture." 11

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